

EXHIBIT Z

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**ADDENDUM TO ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIM OF
METHODE ELECTRONICS, INC.**

This administrative expense claim of Methode Electronics, Inc. and its affiliates ("Methode") is a protective filing and arises out of various patent and contractual business relationships between Methode and certain of the Debtors which are currently the subject of the lawsuits described herein. This administrative expense claim is protective in nature as such litigation is proceeding in non-bankruptcy jurisdictions and venues selected by such Debtors. Methode is filing this claim, among other things, to preserve any and all rights and entitlements Methode may have as herein asserted, and nothing set forth herein should be construed as an admission that any claims or causes of action exist against Methode. Since both of the lawsuits forming the basis of this administrative expense claim are contingent on the results of such litigation, Methode files its claim in an unliquidated amount. Although a significant portion of the damages which Methode would be entitled if judgments are granted in Methode's favor will be incurred subsequent to October 8, 2009 (the "Effective Date"), the effective date of the Debtors' First Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization (As Modified), Methode files this administrative expense claim for all amounts which are now, or will become due to it, for the periods prior to the Effective Date.

I. Claims Arising From Patent Infringement

Methode also has asserted causes of action against Delphi Automotive Systems LLC Inc. (collectively, the "Defendant") for various causes of action related to patent infringement, which case is pending in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan (the "Michigan District Court"), Case No. 09-CV-13078. The case was originally filed in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois on April 9, 2009 and transferred to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan on July 20, 2009. Methode is asserting a claim for patent infringement against the Defendant and Marian, Inc. The Defendant is asserting that Methode's patent is not infringed and is invalid and unenforceable. Counter-plaintiff Delphi Technologies is asserting that Methode's patent is invalid based on a patent it owns. The case is in the early discovery phase and nothing substantive has yet occurred. Methode is claiming damages resulting from the Defendant's infringement of its patent in the form of lost profits but, in no event, less than a reasonable royalty. Methode is also seeking an award of triple damages and attorneys fees. It is impossible to give a current damages figure since the volume of infringing sales is not yet known. Damages will accrue as long as Defendant makes, uses or sells infringing products over the life of the patent or until Delphi is enjoined. Methode files this contingent and unliquidated administrative expense claim for all damages which are proven to have occurred prior to the Effective Date.

On October 30, 2009, Delphi Automotive Systems, LLC filed a Complaint against Methode in the Michigan District Court for breach of contract and declaratory injunction relief regarding certain patents. Methode reserves all rights to judgments and damages for claims it may allege in this action which were incurred or arose prior to the Effective Date.

II. Claims Arising From Three Year Supply Agreement

Effective September 30, 2008, Methode and Delphi Automotive Systems LLC entered into a three year agreement (the "Supply Agreement") pursuant to which Methode agreed to supply Delphi with certain parts for a three year term. On October 23, 2008, Delphi initiated a legal action against Methode in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, Michigan, Case No. 08-095518-CK and filed an "emergency motion" for a TRO, Preliminary Injunction, and Immediate Possession Pending Final Judgment seeking copies of certain tooling drawings in Methode's possession. On August 27, 2009, the Debtors delivered a notice to Methode purporting to terminate the Supply Agreement effective September 10, 2009 (the "Termination Date"), only ten months into the three year term. Methode asserts that Delphi negotiated the three-year contract in bad faith and has counterclaimed against Delphi for damages for Delphi's premature and improper termination of the parties' three year contract.

Methode has sustained damages under the breach of the Supply Agreement in an amount not less than \$40,500,000, which is comprised of the following: lost profits, goodwill writeoffs, fixed asset writeoffs, inventory obsolescence, tear down costs, unpaid invoices, and employee severance costs.

III. Reservation of Rights

Methode expressly reserves the right to amend or supplement this administrative expense claim at any time for whatever reason, including without limitation, for the purpose of filing additional claims or to specify the amount of Methode's unmatured and/or unliquidated claims as they become matured and/or liquidated. By virtue of the filing of this administrative expense claim, Methode does not waive, and hereby expressly reserves, its rights to pursue claims, including, but not limited to, the claims described herein, against the Debtors based upon alternative legal theories.

Due to the voluminous nature of the claims and litigation set forth herein and related documents, such documents are not attached to this Administrative Expense Claim. Methode will provide these documents upon request.